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SUBJECT: HIJACKING WILL NOT AFFECT PACIFICATION OR CUBA POLICIES

REF: CARACAS 4358 NOTAL

1. INTERIOR MINISTER NECTARIO ANDRADE LABARCA STATED TO PRESS THAT NONE OF THE HIJACKERS HAD TAKEN ADVANTAGE OF PACIFICATION POLICY AND THAT HIJACKING WILL NOT AFFECT THAT POLICY.

2. LEADERS OF AD, COPEI, FDP, MEP, AND CCN EXPRESSED SUPPORT IN PRESS INTERVIEWS FOR PRESIDENT CALDERA'S REFUSAL TO MEET HIJACKERS' DEMANDS. FOURTEEN INDEPENDENT CONGRESSMEN SENT CABLE OF SUPPORT TO CALDERA.

3. JOSE VICENTE RANGEL, PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE OF MOVIMIENTO AL SOCIALISMO (MAS), AND SOME PASSENGERS CRITICIZED REFUSAL TO MEET DEMANDS.

4. COPEI SECRETARY GENERAL PEDRO PABLO AGUILAR STATED HIJACKING HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH QUESTION OF RENEWAL OF RELATIONS WITH CUBA, THAT RELATIONS WILL BE RENEWED WHENEVER IT IS CONSIDERED APPROPRIATE TO NATIONAL INTEREST.
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